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## Town Crier

By W. Gartrell

### THE BAR

A bar to manliness and wealth,  
A door to want and broken health.  
A bar to honor, pride and fame,  
A door to sin and grief and shame;  
A bar to hope, a bar to prayer,  
A door to darkness and despair.  
A bar to honored, useful life,  
A door to brawling, senseless strife.  
A bar to all that's true and brave,  
A door to every drunkard's grave.  
A bar to joy that home imparts,  
A door to tears and aching hearts:  
A bar to Heaven, a door to Hell—  
Whoever named it, named it well!"

Anon.

Cheering news comes from the Virginia State Liquor Control Board to the effect that liquor sales in the State for the fiscal year just ended will total \$4,930,000, an increase of 6.3 per cent over the previous year. Breaking down this huge sum, localities will receive 89.56 cents per capita,—about enough to buy the average drunkard's family one day's rations of fat back, beans and corn pone. Statistics fail to tell where food for the remaining 364 days could be found. (This from the bourgeois standpoint, of course.)

Our Little White Gardenia goes today to Middleburg's Grand old Man, Mr. Thomas Benton Winter, who rounded out eighty-three years of good living July fifth. All of Mr. Winter's four children are living and he has seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

This yarn makes up in aptness what probably lacks in veracity: a certain deb hereabouts whose skill in driving scarcely matches her speed in transit, was stopped by a State Trooper recently. Summoning up all her sweetness and light, she innocently asked, "What's the matter, Officer, Was I driving too fast?" "No, indeed, Lady," was the answer, "You were FLYING TOO LOW!"

A word of thanks to Columnist Gaines for passing the Crier a few kind words in his Democrat column that everybody reads. A boost is always better than a knock and this one was appreciated.

The Crier's sense of rumor was stirred to the depths by a Grapevine Telegraph story to the effect that two more members of the "Carl Nagle Five", said to have effected a \$3,000 robbery in the Federated Stores of J. Nachman some weeks ago, had been captured at Town Point, Md., a few miles south of Elkton, in possession of stolen goods. Investigation disclosed that the arrested pair, Mr. and Mrs. James Brusco of Philadelphia, had been taken into custody and were being held pending further development of the case. Leo Kuhn, said to be a member of the "Five",

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## The Bear Awarded Culpeper Trophy

### Tie In Points For Hunter Championship Gives Mrs. D. N. Lee Reserve Against Mrs. Whitney

After the Judges, Col D. Douglas Young of New York, William W. Brainard, Jr., of Greenwich, Conn., and Jack Prestage of Watertown, Conn., had worked tirelessly through the two days of the 35th Annual Culpeper Horse Show and Racing Association's annual exhibition, they found they had two horses tied on points for the Hunter Championship. Mrs. John Hay Whitney's The Bear and Mrs. D. N. Lee's Gay Life each had 15 points. The two were called in the ring for conformation consideration and The Bear was awarded the Culpeper Challenge Plate, emblematic of the Championship, and thereby retired the five year old trophy.

First won by Mrs. Whitney's Two Leggins in 1935, The Bear put the second of the necessary wins on it last year, and repeated in fine form this year, under able rides of Mrs. James Hamilton and Dick Kirby. The son of Teddy scored his only first in Lightweight Hunters, enjoyed two seconds in Hunters Under Saddle and Hunter Hacks, and thirds in Ladies Hunters and Corinthian.

With attendance for the two days exceeding the records of last year, and the show considered one of the most successful in years under the management of R. S. "Dick" Peach, J. Douglas Swan and T. Weedon Armstrong, Mrs. D. N. Lee's Gay Life with Aubrey Fishback up, scored two firsts, in Three Year Old Hunters, and Hunters 4 Years and Under; a second in Suitable to Become Hunters and two fourths in Green and Hunter Hacks. This enabled the chestnut son of Mere Play—Fair One to stand

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### FORBES' LITTLE WOMAN WINS DOUBLE AT AGAWAM

J. H. C. Forbes' Little Woman, who set a new track mark for the about two mile steeplechase course at Agawam Park when she defeated John Bosley's Big March in The Millwood Hunt Plate on Wednesday, June 29, came on to further her already brilliant record by scoring a repeat triumph just a week later, July 5, this time turning back C. D. Pierce's Daffy in the 2 mile Race-land Purse while Big March was forced to take third.

Coming from behind, the daughter of Wrack-Bevy began moving up after the first mile, jumping splendidly the whole way, and overhauled the pacemaking Daffy in the stretch. The latter made a gallant effort, but could not withstand the other mare's drive at the finish, though holding Big March safe.

The Millwood Hunt Plate, in

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## PROGENY OF VIRGINIA STALLIONS GARNER \$145,987 ON JUNE TRACKS

### Milkman Heads Ten Leading Sires With Progeny Winning \$35,555; Imp. Sun Briar Second And The Late Imp. Teddy, Third

Of the one hundred and eighty-eight victories chalked up at the nation's tracks by the progeny of Virginia stallions during the month of June which totaled \$145,987, honors go to Milkman who stands at the top of the ten leading money-winning sires. His get won \$35,555 in all, \$34,530 of which his 3-year-old son Pasteurized accounted for when he won the Belmont Stakes on June 4. Milkman and Pasteurized are both owned by Mrs. W. Plunket Stewart and the former now stands at her Rolling Plains Farm at The Plains, Va. Two of his daughters, Millsdale Stable's 4-year-old Bonny Clabber and Mrs. T. B. Brown's 3-year-old Milray, made up the balance, the former with her performance at Lincoln Fields on the 1st of June and the latter at Agawam Park a week ago last Wednesday, June 29th.

Second on the list is Willis Sharpe Kilmer's great old veteran of Court Manor \*Sun Briar, a consistent leader throughout the year, with twelve races to the credit of his sons and daughters last month and some \$8,020. His 3-year-old colt Sun Egret, from A. C. Crompton's stable, having now won seven races already this year, added \$1,700 to his earnings with the Delaware Beach Purse on June 18 and the Red Clay Handicap on June 25, both at Delaware Park. Also at the Delaware track, Mr. Kilmer's own 4-year-old Sun Celerina accounted for \$1,300 on June 20.

Next in order comes the late \*Teddy, who stood at Kenneth Gilpin's Kentmere Stud in Boyce until his death in 1936 his get having earned \$7,500 in June, \$4,550 of which went to his 3-year-old filly Invoke when she captured the Gazelle Stakes at Aqueduct on the 22nd. The other seven leaders in order are: 4th, Pompey, with \$5,900 to which Pompey's Pillar contributed \$2,105 with the Windsor Handicap at Detroit on June 18; 5th, Dunlin, with thirteen races won by his get during the month and \$5,732; 6th, Pilate, with 9 wins and \$5,700; 7th, Abbot's Nymph, with \$5,650, High Velocity having garnered \$4,275 of this with the Bunker Hill Handicap at Suffolk Downs on June 15; 8th, Strolling Player, with 9 wins and \$5,025; 9th, Time Maker, with 8 wins and \$4,150; and 10th, Flag Pole with 8 wins and \$3,875.

1. Milkman, 11, br. by Cudgel—Milkmaid, Rolling Plains,	
The Plains 3 wins .....	\$35,555
2 *Sun Briar, 23, br. by Sundridge—Sweet Briar 11,	
Court Manor Stud, New Market, 12 wins .....	\$ 8,020
3. *Teddy, (deceased), by Ajax—Rondeau, Kentmere Stud,	
Boyce, 6 wins .....	\$ 7,500

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### AMBROSE CLARK 'CHASERS VICTORIOUS AT DELAWARE

The latest steeplechase honors at Delaware Park go to F. Ambrose Clark, trainer Granger Gaither and Jockey McGovern, which combine put the light blue and yellow silks across the finish to score in two of the four brush events during the past week.

First in the Indian River Steeplechase Handicap on June 29, McGovern rode Mr. Clark's Torturer to defeat Montpelier's El Dorador and five more of America's outstanding brush-toppers in this two and a half mile feature event, annexing the \$6,800 of the winner's share, and scoring his second successive triumph. El Dorador, however, despite a lost stirrup iron, was given a splendid ride by Jockey Roberts and outlasted Gwladys Whitney's Red Rain for the place. Torturer was rated along back of the pace for the first mile, then moved up into command at the ninth fence where he began to draw clear and was never seriously threatened. Two mishaps occurred in the running, Thomas Hitchcock's Ossabaw losing his rider at the thirteenth fence and Mrs. Dodge Sloane's National Anthem losing his rider at the fifteenth.

On Friday, July 1, McGovern pil-

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### MIDDLEBURG HUNT PLANS HUNTER AND HOUND SHOW

The Middleburg Hunter and Hound Show, to be held on October 29, will be in benefit of the Middleburg Hunt Paneling Fund, of which Mrs. Thomas B. Davis is Treasurer. The name and date were selected by a group sitting in as Committee members, headed by Mrs. Daniel C. Sands, Chairman, last Thursday afternoon.

At the same time, it was decided that a Middleburg Hunt territory wide competition will be run for the "Queen of the Middleburg Hunt Country", who will preside in regal splendor at the one day fall show. Competition for this honor will last some six weeks, with this paper and other Loudoun County papers carrying ballots for the nomination of a candidate and election of the Queen. Mrs. Lee MacDonald is in charge of the Committee making final arrangements for the contest.

The Hunter and Hound Show will be held primarily for the owner-up on the hunting-hunter. The Program Committee headed by Mrs. Sands is hard at work. An announcement will be forthcoming shortly of some of

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# The Horseman's News

## FAMED BLUE RIDGE STUD TO OFFER 10 YEARLINGS AT SARATOGA SALE

### Mrs. Cary T. Grayson And Three Sons To Continue Stud Of Late Admiral Grayson Keeping Same Stallions

"Spell it". That was what Mrs. Cary T. Grayson said to the late Adm. Grayson when he telephoned the news that War Feathers had brought the world's record filly price in the Saratoga Sales. "Did you say \$15,000?" Then the Admiral spelled it: Fifty thousand five hundred. Only a yearling then, by Man O'War, she is to-day the dam of War Minstrel, her fleet four year old son who turned back Seabiscuit at Arlington last week. War Feathers was raised on the renowned Blue Ridge Stud, the "working part" of the old Henry Oxnard place, as Admiral Grayson fondly preferred to put it, up near Upperville.

From Blue Ridge, other record priced youngsters have gone to bring renown to their Virginia beginnings. Broadway Limited was another. He held the top price in this country for some time for a colt when he netted his breeder \$60,000. Teddy's Comet is a more recent good one out of the Spa sales, and interesting enough, Insko, the sire of this year's Kentucky Derby winner Lawrin, had his start through the Blue Ridge-Saratoga route.

And so there are new opportunities afforded buyers, to get more great ones. On August 16th, ten yearlings will appear in the Saratoga Sale ring as the consignment of the late Adm. Grayson's Blue Ridge plant. In number, this is more than usual, and in a way it is a sort of dispersal of the late beloved-sportsman-breeder's interests. But in no wise has it any bearing on the future of the stud. The Blue Ridge breeding activities will go on. According to Mrs. Grayson, and her three sons, Gordon, William and Cary, Jr., they expect to cut down a bit, something that the Admiral was always "meaning to do"; they expect to keep the same stallions, and will weed out a few mares, but Blue Ridge renown will continue. Their big problem however is ahead of them. For the late Admiral believed greatly in the breeding axiom of "it's the matron that counts", and the mares of Blue Ridge are all an unusual quality lot.

In the ten yearlings, there are three by High Quest, two Happy Argos, two by By Pass, a Pompey, Strolling Player and a Reigh Count. While they are not carrying the weight, as a general average, as some of the yearlings Spabound inspected this past month, they are still the sort that will bring plenty of attention in Saratoga.

The first one lead out is one that will bear watching. By Reigh Count out of Brave Lady by Crusader, this filly is small but with lots of quality, good quarters, well rounded, compact and very impressive. With all the indications of giving a high turn of speed, this filly should be a popular one in the sales-ring. The top filly and best youngster of the whole group, seemed to be the daughter of Pompey out of Charming Note, by Polymelian. Pompey, as usual, has left his stamp through the head and neck, and the head is put on right on this one, too. The Charming Note Miss is of good size, clean limbed and very racy in appearance. This filly should do well in the consignment, has good fore-arms, gaskins and withers. She could carry more weight and undoubtedly will pick up a lot during the month's interim before the sale date.

Of the colts, a By Pass, out of Celebration, by High Time, (by Sand-pocket), of the color of his sire, is a big black fellow, a flashy type, rangy and the favorite of the stud-grooms for his ability to gallop in the fields. Celebration was always highly regarded by Adm. Grayson.

For those favoring the compact type who come to hand more rapidly, there's a Happy Argo out of a Strolling Player mare: Flying Wind. This colt is big bodied, short legged, heavy and compact. Through the rear quarters he has a resemblance to Sun Beau in type. He is the first of Adm. Grayson's experiment of the Bachelor's Double cross in Happy Argo and Strolling Player, and is likewise said to be a rapid mover in the paddock.

A son of Modification, by By Pass, out of a High Time mare is a big fellow; a powerful sort he should be when he fills in, and should go well.

Then there is a daughter of Strolling Player out of On Hand, by On Watch, one time Blue Ridge sire, who is a nicely bodied Miss. Strolling Player is the jointly owned sire, with B. B. Jones of Audley Farm, and now standing over in the Valley.

The complete Blue Ridge Farm offering is as follows.

Br. c. by High Quest—Sunny Skies, by High Cloud.  
B. c., by By Pass—Modification, by High Time.  
Blk. c., by By Pass—Celebration, by High Time.  
Ch. c., by Happy Argo—Flying Wind, by Strolling Player.  
Ch. f., by Reigh Count—Brave Lady, by Crusader.  
Red ch. f., by High Quest—Blonde Belle, by North Star II.  
B. f., by Strolling Player—On Hand, by On Watch.  
B. f., by Happy Argo—Minnant, by Pennant.  
Red ch. f., by Pompey—Charming Note, by Polymelian.  
B. f., by High Quest—Misty, by High Cloud.

## Forty One Victories For Virginia Breds

### Two-Year-Old Widener Colt By Pilate Scores For Second Time In Second Start

Along with their usual weekly toll at the various tracks, the sons and daughters of Virginia sires celebrated the 4th of July by pounding home fourteen victories during the day which contributed \$12,520 to the total of \$27,772 garnered in the past seven days from June 29 to July 5, the result of 41 wins in all.

Most notable of these holiday performances of course was that of George D. Widener's 2-year-old Pilate colt Eight Thirty who scored for the second time in as many starts when he accounted for his first stake, the \$5,000 added Christiana, co-featured on the day's card at Delaware Park, having now earned \$6,700 in less than a month's time, not a bad foundation for his juvenile year.

Another feature, the Independence Day Purse at Suffolk Downs, was annexed the same day by Phil Bieber's Dunade, a 4-year-old son of Dunlin, who thus successfully marked his first outing this year. This made four straight for Virginia breds at the Boston track that day. The first, a six furlong claiming event, being won by L. R. Duff's 5-year-old Bright Knight mare Jessie V. L., while in rapid succession J. R. Macomber's 3-year-old Petee Wrack filly Grierwrack scored her maiden victory over ten others of the same age and R. S. Clark's 2-year-old Rosolio filly Refreshment accounted with a five furlong event for her second win in three starts, having broken her maiden at Suffolk on June 17. All these immediately preceded Dunade's triumph.

Three others in addition to the Pilate colt's were chalked up by Virginia progeny at Delaware Park that day as well. The 4-year-old Westwick gelding Trickwick scored his third win for the Millsdale Stable this year with a six furlong claiming event while A. S. Hewitt's 3-year-old Runantell gelding Affirmation did likewise, having scored twice this spring, and a 4-year-old son of Playfellow, P. Faulconer's Playing Dan, closed the program with a maiden victory.

Other 4th of July victories were chalked up by G. T. Hanna's recently acquired 2-year-old Flag Pole filly Wakita who had already scored three times this season for her former owner Mrs. M. R. Waugh, Mrs. M. N. Bond's Pencader, a 9-year-old

daughter of Chilhowee, both these at Agawam, Mrs. O. Kaufmann's 5-year-old Hydromel mare Povel at Wheeling Downs and H. Massey's 3-year-old Omar Khayyam filly Lula Khayyam, the latter scoring for the third time at Charles Town since May.

Two more of Omar Khayyam's get turned in triumphs during the week, both performers of equal consistency. On June 30 the 4-year-old filly Catomar, with two previous wins to her credit, scored for the first time under the silks of Mrs. C. C. Winters at Suffolk Downs while A. R. Mann's 6-year-old gelding Credulous gained his third triumph this year at Detroit on July 2.

Following is a list of winners during the week beginning Wednesday, June 29, and ending Tuesday, July 5, which have been bred in Virginia or sired by stallions now standing in the state.

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### GENE PENNYPACKER

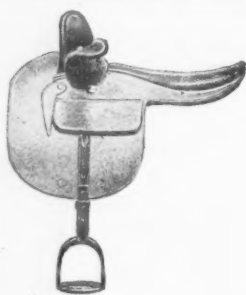
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Thomas Jefferson designed Morven and the formal gardens for his Secretary before 1800 and some 125 years later the Stones came down from New York to buy, own and build a fine breeding establishment. To-day the 1,850 acres, on the reaches of Carter Mountain, have been worked into an elaborate plant, with thoroughbred mares first producing for the present owners of Morven in 1926. Mr. Lee Walker, who started out at the beginning, has left no stone un-turned. He is working hard, day and night these days with the sixth Saratoga yearling consignment, and as a group, they are the best that have ever gone from Albemarle County, Virginia, to the Spa.

Fifteen youngsters in all will go up to New York State for the **Morven Auction Date of August 4th.** Pompey, owned jointly by the Stones and Arthur B. Hancock, figures conspicuously in the consignment. Out of the 15, seven are by Pompey, five fillies and two colts. Two are by Petee-Wrack. Both this stallion and Pompey are owned jointly by the Stones and Arthur B. Hancock of Ellerslie.

This lot have come on splendidly, much to the satisfaction of Mr. Walker and his assistant, Lyn Estes. They have all had the benefit of from six to seven hours in the open every day, and but for the need for the "gleam" in the coat at Saratoga, they'd all be getting more sun these days in the spacious pastures, but there's no close quarters for them on Morven. The 1,850 acres represent "freedom", and these youngsters are loosed in large fields, not confining paddocks. Here it is that Morven attendants witness gallops and see their un-forced yearlings in sprints. In the large filly field you can see the "fastest in the paddock". This year it is Pola Negri's daughter by Jacopo.

Charles Stone has just completed a two months visit at his Virginia home. He has given this lot much time, attention and interest, and is convinced that they are the best yet. He has his theories. So has his son Whitney Stone, who, by the way, is the Secretary of the National Horse Show in New York. Mr. Stone, Sr., is particularly keen about a brood mare, Fair Stella by Wrack. A full sister to the stake winner, Lightning Bolt, Fair Stella has

## AQUEDUCT'S FINAL 'CHASE CAPTURED BY DRUDGERY

The Queens County Jockey Club closed its spring meeting at Aqueduct on Wednesday, June 29, with its final steeplechase the Curtain Call Purse of a mile and a half over hurdles going to Mrs. Dodge Sloane's Drudgery who turned back Northwood Stable's Barry Star in a driving finish. Mrs. E. D. Jacobs' Navarin came in for third ahead of Harold Talbot's Pirate King, while Otway, Casanova II and Sarah D. finished in the order named.

Out for the second time as a jumper and having finished in the money in his previous appearance, the Brookmeade gelding looked well over his fences throughout and was excellently handled by Jockey King. Lying back of Pirate King's early pace, Drudgery was not urged to make his move until reaching the backfield when he readily disposed of the pacemaker and continued to

draw away from the field. Ned Henderson's Editeur fell while rounding the curve at the lower end of the field, making the only casualty in the running, though both horse and rider were unhurt. Barry Star and Navarin began moving up coming into the front field, the former taking the place by little more than a length.

### Summary

The Curtain Call Purse, 1 1-2 miles over hurdles.—1st, Drudgery, Brookmeade Stable, W. King up, 143; 2nd, Barry Star, Northwood Stable, J. Meehan up, 139; 3rd, Navarin, Mrs. E. D. Jacobs, A. Bauman up, 149; Also ran: Pirate King, Otway, Casanova II, Sarah D.; Fell: Editeur; Time, 2:48 3-5.

**ANNEFIELD**  
**Reg. Aberdeen-Angus**  
**CATTLE**  
**or Best Breeding**  
**WILLIAM BELL WATKINS**

a yearling Pompey filly going to Saratoga this year. She was so highly regarded that she was bred-back to Court Manor's Gino.

As good a filly as there is in Morven's consignment is the full sister of Nation's Taste, by Stimulus out of Be Careful and her pedigree is in keeping with her looks. She is carrying plenty of weight.

The chestnut colt by Diavolo was weighed on the 4th of July, and tipped the scales at 1,150 pounds. Eric Dunstan of the Morning Telegraph's "Breeding Briefs" said of this big fellow: "He impresses me as a youngster who might be slow in coming to hand." But out of Marshmallow, by Campfire, he is a half-brother to Viva-Pete, Flosilda, White Sweets and Scout Allow, so when he does come he should have plenty. Marshmallow is a half-sister to Toro Nancy, while she is out of Viva American, winner of the Kentucky Oaks.

The bay colt, out of Margie C. by Sir Gallahad III, a daughter of Fair Play was also weighed, and was the next heaviest of the 15, weighing 1,080 pounds. He is "smoothly turned" and of large size, but with his splendid uniformity, he isn't noticeably large and should really catch the buying eye in the Saratoga Sales arena, when Fasig-Tipton Co., gavels him.

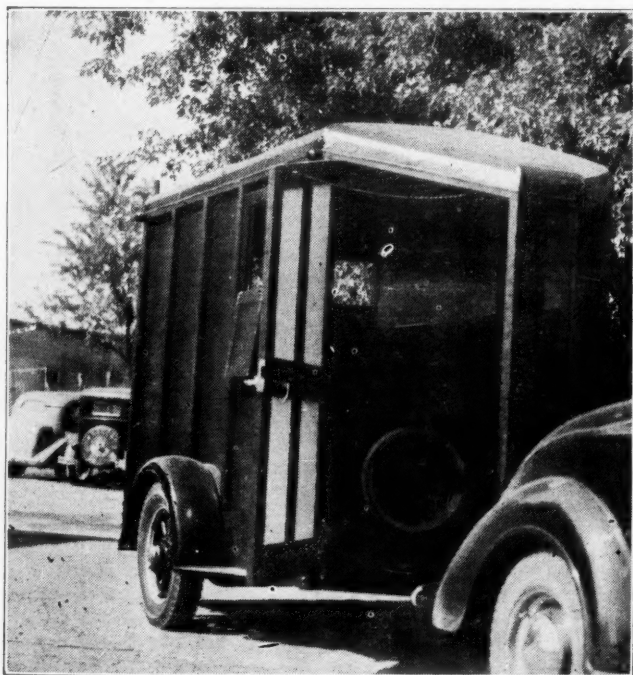
With three exceptions, these yearlings are all of the Morven 1937 crop. Three have been held back for one reason or another. One is by Jacopo and another is a filly by Petee-Wrack.

The two Petee-Wracks are a colt out of Flickaway by Campfire and a filly out of Tinamou by Light Brigade. The son of Flickaway is a full brother to the winner, Snap Wrack, while Flickaway is a full sister to the good stallion Vander Pool, standing at Front Royal to-day. Tinamou's filly is a half sister to the stake winner, Miss Dolphin and the winners: Cardamon, Ellabee, Birdie-Wrack, Tiny Wrack and Stirred Up, while her grand-dam won the Spinaway.

All in all the history of Morven consignments has been most imposing. There is every reason to believe that all former records for the stud-farm owned by the partner of Stone-Webster Company will be surpassed on the third night at Saratoga, August 4th. Mr. Walker, a native of Albemarle County, who had never been out of the hills down there until first going to Saratoga six years ago, said: "I wouldn't be homesick ever with this lot. They should do well."

Charles A. Stone of Stone-Webster, his son Whitney Stone, F. B. Hills, Vice-President of the Stone Farm Ass'n., and Lee Walker, who has charge of the farm and the horses, have been building steadily for the past dozen years. The New York financier has had great interest in the furthering of the development of the Morgan horse, but this has subsided somewhat as his splendid group of matrons, all carefully selected, have had progeny with racing successes, and have done much to place Morven higher and higher on the Virginia and American plane of breeding.

J. A. Estes of the Blood Horse, said this about the Morven mares: "The mares at the farm are a grand lot, and it is a fair sample of the Morven methods of recruiting breeding stock that Mr. Hills spent \$6,200 to purchase Peplum, 3 year old daughter of \*Sickle—Frilette by Man O'War, out of the C. V. Whitney sale last fall, immediately retiring her from racing. Peplum is now in foal to Pompey. Blue Sheen, stakes-winning daughter of Toro, is another of the young mares at the farm . . . . ."



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By Rachel Lloyd

NOTHING WASTED

Last week I decided to take a holiday of my own free will and enjoyed the satisfaction of reading a book at the time I should have been writing this article but it wasn't worth it as my ears have been ringing all week with such unpleasant words as "quitter", "lazy", "spineless", etc. Most unjust, I must say, as the true adjective would have been "stupid," for my garden knowledge is rapidly becoming depleted, so do be tolerant if I should bring forth some time worn ideas or still worse new suggestions such as the following, "SAVE YOUR GARBAGE".

Unless one has pigs, I think garbage can be one of the most persistent worries in the country, and now garbage is at a premium as a tonic for your garden. This garbage disposal must be carried out, however, in the right way or else you will not only have the sanitation officers after you, but all the dogs in the neighborhood. First dig a deep pit. This may be any size you desire. Make a frame at the top on which to attach a screen. This screen should be on hinges so as it can be easily opened and shut.

Next have a pile of dirt and a spade nearby. If the dirt you have dug out to make the pit is not too heavy, this will do very well. All that remains to be done now is to see that no broken glass, china, wax paper or too heavy grease gets in, and you are ready to begin. Throw in your garbage each day and cover it with an inch to an inch and a half of dirt.

When the pit is full, let it stand until it becomes thoroughly decomposed, then take it out and put it around your best plants. How long this process takes I am not able to say right now, but the results are amazing.

The other day I saw the most beautiful boxwood. It was a deep healthy green, and I could not help but ask what they did to it. The answer was the above. I must say the idea appealed to me. The fact that such a household problem should become a blessing in disguise to my garden was wonderful.

Lawns need watching very carefully now, even though we have had so much rain. The sun is so hot that it burns in no time if you do not change the cutter on your mower. Grass should be allowed to have at least a two inch thickness in the summer months, and this is easily done by changing the cutter. If you do not know how to do this, ask your hardware man and he will show you.

Watering a lawn is sometimes more harmful than good. If you plan to put a sprinkler out and leave it for an hour or so in each spot it is fine as it will soak the ground evenly and go deep. But if your intentions are to hold the hose in your hand and sprinkle here and there, it is best left alone. The latter way will only succeed in dampening the surface and in so doing the roots will turn up where they will be burned instead of staying down where they belong. A good drenching once a week is the best thing in the dry weather. Never a light sprinkling every evening.

HUNT MEETING CALENDAR

FALL

- \*Rockaway Steeplechase Ass'n., Cedarhurst, L. I., N. Y. . . . . Mon., Sept. 3
- Foxcatcher Hounds, Fair Hill, Maryland. . . . . Sat., Sept. 10
- Whitemarsh Valley Hunt Club, Flourtown, Pa. . . . . Sat., Sept. 17
- \*Meadowbrook Steeplechase Ass'n., Westbury, L. I., N. Y. . . . . Sat., Sept. 24
- Huntingdon Valley Hunt Club, Jenkintown, Pa. . . . . Sat., Oct. 1
- Rolling Rock Hunt Racing Ass'n., Ligonier, Pa. . . . . Wed., Oct. 8
- \*Adjacent Hunts Racing Ass'n., Rye, N. Y. . . . . Wed., Oct. 12
- Rose Tree Fox Hunting Club, Media, Pa. . . . . Wed., Oct. 12
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- Monmouth County Hunt Racing Ass'n., Red Bank, N. J. . . . . Sat., Oct. 15
- Elkridge Harford Hunt, Monkton, Md. . . . . Sat., Oct. 22
- Essex Fox Hounds, Far Hills, New Jersey. . . . . Wed., Oct. 26
- Essex Fox Hounds, Far Hills, New Jersey. . . . . Sat., Oct. 29
- \*United Hunts Racing Ass'n., Belmont Park, Elmont, N. Y. . . . . Sat., Nov. 5
- \*United Hunts Racing Ass'n., Belmont Park, Elmont, N. Y. . . . . Tues., Nov. 8
- Pickering Hunt, Phoenixville, Pa. . . . . Sat., Nov. 5
- Middleburg Hunt Race Ass'n., Middleburg, Virginia . . . . . Sat., Nov. 12

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Regular meetings not included in above list which have not applied for sanction or settled on date.

HORSE SHOW CALENDAR

JULY:—

- 16—Lenny Manor Horse Show, Warrenton.
- 22-23—Rappahannock County Horse Show, Washington, Va.

AUGUST:—

- 11-12—Bath County Horse Show Association, Hot Springs, Virginia.
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- 18-19—Clarke County Horse and Colt Show Association, Berryville, Va.

SEPTEMBER:—

- 2-3—Henry County Horse Show Association, Martinsville, Virginia.
- 3. Keswick, Virginia Hunt Club Horse Show.

- 9-10—Warrenton, Virginia Horse Show Association.
- 16-17—Orange, Virginia Horsemen's Association.

OCTOBER:—

- 5-8—Mountain State Forest Festival Horse Show, Elkins, W. Va.
- 8—Farmington Horse Show, Farmington, Va.
- 20-23—Inter-American Horse Show, Washington, D. C.
- 29—Middleburg Hunt Horse Show, Middleburg, Va.

NOVEMBER:—

- 5-12—National Horse Show, New York.
- 2-9—National Horse Show Association, New York.

HIGH QUEST COMES BACK TO BROOKMEADE FOR 1939

Almost coincidental with the fine triumph of Mrs. Isabel Dodge Sloane's Handcuff by Whichone in the Delaware Oaks on the 4th of July, was the return of her good Brookmeade stallion, High Quest from his breeding season in Kentucky. Sent out there last fall, he stood at Lexington at Horace N. Davis' Bluegrass Heights Stock Farm this spring. A sure foal getter, examinations show that over 90 per cent of the mares sent to him are in foal.

High Quest is to stand at Brookmeade, in Upperville his home farm in 1939. At seven, despite a season of over forty mares, he is carrying plenty of weight and is in fine shape. By Sir Gallahad-Etoile Filante by Fairplay out of Chit Chat by Rock Sand, he was the winner of the East-

ern Shore Handicap, second in the Hopeful Stakes as a two year old and at three, beat his stable-mate the famed Calvacade in the Preakness by a nose, won the Wood Memorial, and was second in the Hartford Handford Handicap and Belmont Stakes.

Aron Omer, Brookmeade Superintendent announced yesterday that 18 Brookmeade yearlings will leave Saturday for Belmont to be put into training. Under the watchful eye of Elmo Shropshire, Asst. Trainer to Hugh Fontaine, 6 fillies and 12 colts will entrain north. The biggest part of these are by High Quest, some by Flag Pole (now leading two year old money sire), 3 are by Okepi by Eternal-out of a Rock Sand mare, and one is a colt by Blue Larkspur-Diane de Poitiers by Tetratema-Plucky Leige. Diane de Poitiers was the dam of the thoroughbred suckling winner at Upperville June 11th., with her Calvacade colt.

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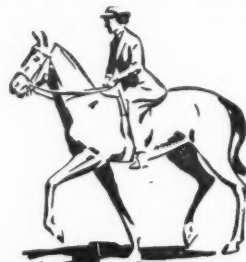
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# VIRGINIA BREDS

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June 29, Milray, 3, b. f. (Milkman -Ex Ray), Mrs. T. B. Brown, Agawam Park, 1 mi. 70 yds., \$425

June 29, Heather Time, 2, ch. f. (Time Maker-Heatherland), A. E. Silver, Suffolk Downs, 5 furlongs, \$675

June 29, Suntime, 3, b. g. (Sun Meadow-Onemore Time), J. B. Partridge, Aqueduct, 6 1-2 furlongs \$700

June 29, Nedayr, 3, br. c. (Neddie -Sunayr), W. S. Kilmer, Delaware Park, 6 furlongs \$700

June 29, Royal Link, 6, ro. g. (St. Henry-Royal Chain), H. K. Barron, Detroit, 6 furlongs \$625

June 30, Bloomer Girl, 3, b. f. (By Pass II-Home Time), Medway Stable, Suffolk Downs, 6 furlongs, \$675

June 30, Catomar, 4, br. f. (Omar Khayyam-Caterpillar), Mrs. C. C. Winters, Suffolk Downs, 1 1-16 mi., \$675

June 30, Candar, 4, br. g. (Dark Hero-Gaudy Lady), Burnell Stable, Suffolk Downs, 1 mi., \$675

June 30, Ritorno, 4, b. f. (Scotch Broom-Mabel A.), R. V. Boyle, Agawam Park, 6 furlongs, \$500

June 30, Imperial Jean, 3, b. g. (Dark Hero-Frat Girl), E. B. Anhut, Detroit, 6 furlongs, \$625

June 30, Strolling High, 3, ch. g. (Strolling Player-Mary Borah), Forest City Stable, Detroit, 6 furlongs, \$625

June 30, Goodandslick, 5, b. m. (Waygood-Slicker), J. Spencer, Detroit, 6 furlongs, \$625

June 30, Secret Lover, 6, ch. g. (\*Sun Briar-Loved One), H. L. McDonald, Wheeling Downs, 1 1-8 mi., \$220

June 30, Pegadette, 4, br. f. (Caid -Grand Peggy), R. C. Waple, Charles Town, 6 1-2 furlongs, \$300

July 1, Chatter Wrack, 3, b. g. (Petee Wrack-Sandchatter), Forest City Stable, Detroit, 1 1-16 mi., dead heat with Miss Patrina, each \$362.50

July 1, Neds Lady, 3, ch. f. (Neddie-Beautiful Lady), Jos. M. Brooks, Suffolk Downs, 6 furlongs, \$675

July 2, Arah Lass, 3, ch. f. (\*Teddy-Superstitious), B. F. Lister, Suffolk Downs, 1 mi. 70 yds. \$675

July 2, Dulie, 3, ch. g. (Dunlin-Julie), S. L. Stewart, Delaware Park, 6 furlongs, \$700

July 2, Santan, 5, ch. g. (St. Henry-Ann C.), Mrs. R. Reeves, Wheeling Downs, 1 1-4 mi., \$700

July 2, Freeplay, 3, br. g. (Judge Hay-Elusive), P. O. Brown, Wheeling Downs, 6 1-2 furlongs, \$220

July 2, Credulous, 6, ch. g. (Omar Khayyam-Petter Believe), A. R. Mann, Detroit, 1 1-16 mi., \$625

July 2, Timetta, 2, b. f. (Time Maker-Racquetta), Mrs. H. Horst, Charles Town, 4 1-2 furlongs, \$300

July 2, Zippy, 6, b. g. (Westy Hogan-Sweet Polly), A. S. Hamilton, jr., Charles Town, 6 1-2 furlongs \$300

July 2, Pegadette, 4, br. f. (Caid-Grand Peggy), R. C. Waple, Charles Town, 6 1-2 furlongs, \$300

July 2, Royal Business, 3, b. f. (Sun Meadow-Pretty Business), Capt. E. Johnston, Charles Town 7 furlongs, \$450

July 4, Jessie V. L., 5, ch. m. (\*Bright Knight-Annie Ree), L. R. Duff, Suffolk Downs, 6 furlongs, \$675

July 4, Griewrack, 3, ch. f. (Petee Wrack-Griette), J. R. Macomber, Suffolk Downs, 6 furlongs, \$675

July 4, Refreshment, 2, ch. f. (Rosolio-Freshet), R. S. Clark, Suffolk Downs, 5 furlongs, \$675

July 4, Dunade, 4, br. c. (Dunlin-Parade), P. Bieber, Suffolk Downs, 6 furlongs, \$825

July 4, Wakita, 2, b. f. (Flag Pole -Kawita), G. T. Hanna, Agawam Park, 5 1-2 furlongs, \$425

July 4, Pencader, 9, br. g. (Chilhowee-Nyasa), Mrs. M. N. Bond, Agawam Park, 1 1-2 mi., \$425

July 4, Trickwick, 4, b. g. (Westwick-Tricky), Millsdale Stable, Delaware Park, 6 furlongs, \$700

July 4, Eight Thirty, 2, ch. c. (Pilate-Dinner Time), G. D. Widener, Delaware Park, 5 1-2 furlongs, \$6,000

July 4, Affirmation, 3, ch. g. (Runantell-Litany), A. S. Hewitt, Delaware Park, 1 1-16 mi., \$700

July 4, Playing Dan, 4, b. g. (Playfellow-Gladys Clark), P. Faulconer, Delaware Park, 1 1-16 mi., \$700

July 4, Povel, 5, b. m. (Hydromel-

Ponova), Mrs. O. Kaufmann, Wheeling Downs, 1 1-16 mi., \$220

July 4, Lula Khayyam, 3, ch. f. (Omar Khayyam-Cambetty), H. Massey, Charles Town, 4 1-2 furlongs, \$300

July 4, Spotless, 4, ch. f. (Ed Crump-Sunup), E. G. Davis, Charles Town, 1 1-8 mi., \$300

July 5, Romaine, 3, b. f. (Pompey-Gypsy Gold), J. R. Neville, Arlington Park, 6 furlongs, \$700

July 5, Tellwhy, 7, ch. g. (Runantell-St. Genevieve), P. Bieber, Suffolk Downs, 1 1-16 mi., \$675

July 5, Old Dominion, 5, ch. g. (Dunlin-Virginia T.), Mrs. E. Ament, Agawam Park, 6 furlongs, \$425

## THREE YOUNGSTERS FROM CHILDREN'S HOME PLACED

During June three youngsters from the Children's House of Fauquier were placed in good, free homes, and according to Mrs. Ruth Thompson Suprt. of Pub. Welfare for Fauquier County, they are doing splendidly. These two little girls and a little boy had responded so well to the routine treatment of the Children's House that their health and general physical condition was perfect. Mrs. Thompson stated: "The request I have for children now are that they come from the Children's House".

The Children's House is accomplishing two fine things, 1st., in restoring to health matreated and undernourished youngsters, and second in helping to find suitable permanent homes for them. The ETEcutive Board, headed by Mrs. William B. Streett, is greatly appreciative for the immediate response for these children. Other opportunities will be available to adopt youngsters graduating from the health regime of the Children's House, The Plains, and Mrs. Thompson.

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# SARATOGA YEARLING CALENDAR

The schedule of the Yearling Sales to take place at Saratoga this summer will begin on August 2nd., and continue until August 19. According to an announcement from the Fasig-Tipton Co., which will again conduct the vendue, the final sale will be one of horses in training. More than a score of breeders will sell stock during the three weeks of auctions.

The following dates include eleven of the days which Virginia breeders will sell their Virginia-breds:

- Aug. 2nd, Holly Beach Farm, (Labrot & Co.) Tollie Young, L. F. Holton, Charles W. Williams, HERRING BROTHERS.
- Aug. 3, Belair Stud, Leslie Combs, Lucas B. Combs, H. B. Scott and partners E. K. Thomas, W. L. Nutter.
- Aug. 4, R. A. Fairbairn Charlton Clay, MOVERN STUD, W. S. Threlkeld, NYDRIE STUD.
- Aug. 5, Claiborne and ELLERSLIE STUDS, (A. B. Hancock).
- Aug. 8, COURT MANOR (Willis Sharpe Kilmer).
- Aug. 9, W. B. Miller, Horace N. Davis, Mrs. M. Y. Kaufman, Charles Nuckols, Regan Farm, Inc., Walmac Farm, Military Stock Farm.
- Aug. 10, Coldstream Stud, Bramble Farm, W. H. LIPSCOMB, ROCK-RIDGE FARMS, John E. Widener, and Fayette Johnston.
- Aug. 11, C. V. Whitney, Thomas Piatt, T. C. Piatt, A. B. Gay.
- Aug. 12, Old Hickory Farm (Phil. T. Chinn, Pres.), Mereworth Stud, Duntreath Farm.
- Aug. 15, KENTMERE FARM, H. C. Ragan, E. Gay Drake, L. A. Mosley, Somincos Farms, Adelbert Farm.
- Aug. 16, Meadowview Farms, ESTATE OF ADMIRAL CARY T. GRAYSON, J. L. Cleveland and others.
- Aug. 17, Sale of breeding stock, etc.
- Aug. 19, Sale of horses in training.

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## Editorials

### HUNTING HUNTERS IN THE FALL

It's a little early to think seriously about hunting, but it is not one bit too early to talk about paneling. A hunt may have the finest pack in the world, the country may be so full of foxes that they come sliding out of coverts in twos and threes; there may be the grandest grass land country in the world, but of what avail is all this to delight a foxhunter's heart if he cannot get to hounds and stay with them. The Middleburg Hunt has some very good paneled country, there is none better, but in parts, there is room for improvement. In what hunt is there not?

The meeting of the Foxhunters in Middleburg last week to consider plans for raising money for a paneling fund was significant. It shows that the residents are not content to let such important matters as paneling drift along until it is too late; it shows a wide awake interest in the future season which is so dear to all who love to hear the opening challenge, watch sterner feather in ever growing excitement and finally experience that never to be forgotten sensation as "Tally-Ho" is heard and the pack bursts forth on the brush of their fox. Here is a thrill whose charm never dulls, a cry whose sound never grows stale.

Ever mindful of these things, Foxhunters of Middleburg have hit on an excellent method of expediting the subscription to the ever important paneling fund. A Horse Show in October is the suggestion. Some may say, "But Horse Shows are summer fixtures and by October people will be hunting." Perfectly right, people will be hunting and there lies the strength of the proposal. A Foxhunters Horse Show with owners to ride, a Horse Show with classes for farmers, for landowners, for all the visiting gentry who will be in Middleburg for the start of the Hunting Season. A grand rally of country folk in the country as the new season opens and everybody keen as mustard to follow hounds. Hunters are up and ready. They can do with a little extra schooling over sensible jumps at a Hunter's Horse Show.

Here is an opportunity to have real, bona fide hunting classes. Owners to ride honest to goodness hunters, not pampered show darlings whose every bump over stone wall and fence post is a welt in its owners heart, and whose experience out hunting consists of bucking along behind hounds on country roads. Everybody is ready to ride in October, young and old, crasher and thruster, hunters who ride and riders who hunt. The stage is set for a Hunting Hunter Horse Show for the benefit of the Middleburg Paneling Fund. It should be a great day, with a Queen to preside over her beloved Southland where she was born and raised, within sound of the hunting horn. Pink coats in August look as uncomfortable as they feel, but pink coats in October in Middleburg look about as right as right can be particularly if manners, way of going and jumping mean more than the splint on the off fore.

### EFFICIENCY DEPARTMENT

With the termination of the seventy-fifth Congress, the total number of bills presented for Congressional consideration amounts to 17,092. From these Congress passed 1,700 laws to be placed on the statute books. The question arises immediately, how is it possible for a group of men from all parts of the country meeting in a huge body, where conflicts are bound to arise from their geographical differences, if for nothing else, to sort out and pass fairly on these measures.

The answer is plain. Congressmen do not know of a fraction of the bills they vote into law and even the major bills involving great national questions are read carefully by but a very few of the nation's law makers. This is a serious indictment upon the efficiency of a Democracy. It is one that never can be entirely remedied in a country the size of the United States, but it might be given tremendous impetus if, while Congress is adjourned, a fact finding Council could be sorting and passing on proposed legislation in an impartial matter, preparing it for the next Congressional docket, and what is even more important, working upon complicated new bills to have them presented in a correct manner and not drawn haphazardly so that one congressman was forced to remark in the last session that he would have a bill to present upon the farm problem even though the measure was but a blank piece of paper.

Much of the high pressure which Senators and Representatives are forced to live under while at the Capitol is forced upon them by their extra curricular activities such as the drawing of bills for consideration by Congress.

A Congressional Council has already been proposed. It might relieve

much of this congestion. The problem of hasty legislation is one that can easily wreck Democracies for people grow restive under ill made laws that work hardships where they are meant to work benefits. Democracies were formed to give the people of the world a method of enjoying the maximum amount of freedom with the least amount of Government restriction. If the machinery needed to run the Democracy becomes so cumbersome, is so overloaded with details, that its efficiency is impaired so as to injure the interests and welfare of the people, the voters might rather give up some of their traditional liberty and freedom for the greater efficiency of the Dictator.

This is what has happened in Europe today where the dictator has not in reality forced himself upon the people, but where the people have tacitly accepted the dictator and his rule of force by a fighting minority, rather than attempt to gather the majority into a working, efficient organization. Democracy if it fails today, will fail because people grow tired of its inefficiency. They figure the power of one man is an efficient government rather than ill made, hastily considered and ill formed plans which do not work once made, because their originators have not taken the time or the thought to consider them in all their ramifications and from all their angles. There is need for an efficiency department in our national Council that will do away with much of the politics, the log rolling and the horse trading by which our laws are finally framed.

## Letters To Editors

### RAISING JUMPS

Middleburg Chronicle  
Middleburg, Va.

In your issue of July 1st it was stated that "because they (the judges) authorized jumps to be raised in the jumping stake class to decide a winner (a normal procedure) exhibitors protested."

Of course it would be "a normal procedure" to raise the jumps in an ordinary jumping stake class. However, in the program for this particular horse show the provisions governing the jumping stake class were: "Horse to be shown at hand gallop over four four-foot jumps in the ring, twice over the course. Style of going at jumps to be considered."

In accordance with these provisions exhibitors were justified in entering horses which they expected to be called upon to jump four feet and no higher, and irrespective of what the "normal procedure" is in ordinary stake classes, exhibitors were justified in expecting that their horses would be judged in accordance with the tests set out in the program. It seems that your reference to the occurrence is unjustified and we are sure that if you will read the program you will agree that the action of the judges was unwarranted.

As we are sure you do not desire to be unfair to exhibitors who have no desire to be unsportsmanlike but who at the same time do demand that judges as well as participants be governed by the rules of the game, we feel satisfied that you will want to publish a statement which will undo the, what we know was an unintended reflection, upon those who protested the action of the judges in this matter.

Very truly yours,  
Betty Couzens  
Margaret Cotter

### Editor's Note:

The above statement expresses the circumstances clearly. The matter of raising the jumps was put up to the Committee who preferred to make no decision. Our term "authorized" is misleading. The Judges merely ap-

proved the raising of the jumps when it was left up to them. The exhibitors in this case were justified in protesting the departure from the printed conditions.

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# Town Crier

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was definitely connected with the robbery here when price tags taken from Nachman goods were found in a stolen truck being operated by him at the time of his arrest. Mr. Nachman was called to Maryland today on matters pertaining to the case.

A contact not soon to be forgotten was an interview Monday with Pvt. John Wormal Barton, a youth of 26, proudly wearing a number of medals pinned to the uniform in which he fought for the Lost Cause. Pvt. Barton was returning to his home at Frankford, Missouri, from Gettysburg where he found the Yankee boys "thick as hasty pudding." Hale and well in spite of his years, Pvt. Barton said he is going to a Confederate re-union to be held at Columbia, South Carolina the last of August. "But I am coming back to Virginia to look for my second wife," he added with a twinkle in his eye. The only one of four brothers to survive the civil strife, Pvt. Barton speaks with pride of Mosby's prowess in capturing a damyankee general at Fairfax and a raid hereabouts under that bold guerilla in which his brother, William, was killed. The old gentleman, with a grandson, boarded a Washington-bound bus as interested on-lookers wished them Bon Voyage.

Mrs. W. R. Keeler spent the weekend at the Ocean City cottage of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brittlebank.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. James are being congratulated upon the arrival at Winchester Memorial Hospital Friday of a son. Now Bowler James is challenging all and sundry to a father and son bowling match in the fall.

Mrs. J. P. Duffey and son, Johnny, are spending this week in Baltimore, the guests of Mrs. Duffey's mother, Mrs. C. M. Bennett.

Miss Estelle Downs came up from Washington to spend the holidays with her mother here.

## MIDDLEBURG HUNT

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the tentative classes. It is hoped to get a selection of events that will bring everyone out who hunts with Middleburg or any of the other surrounding Hunts. A Ladies class, side-saddle, to be ridden in full hunting appointments, jumping, should be interesting; as should Hunter Hacks, and other classes dealing with the owner riding.

Many events will be held of gymkhana sort, with numerous novel ideas.

## CLARK 'CHASERS

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oted the 5-year-old Solarist to his maiden victory in the Magnolia Steeplechase, a 2 mile event which brought out eight starters, defeating Brandywine Stable's Melleray Pass and Rokeby Stable's Coxswain and Good Chance who finished in order.

Good Chance cut out the early running, but was unable to hold sway as Solarist moved into position along with him to take over the command after the fourth fence. From then on, jumping nicely, the Clark gelding had the race his own way and closed more or less as he pleased. All finished except R. L. Riegel's The Dook II who lost his rider at

the second jump.

On the preceding day, R. K. Mellon's The Stag II came to the fore again, proving himself best in a field of ten out for the day's 2 mile selling steeplechase, while Mrs. Arthur White's jynx-haunted Spinach, after making a strong effort to overtake the winner, pulled up lame, though in time to head the Augustus Riggs horse Claque for the place. Only half of the large field came home, J. R. Kerr, jr.'s Zadora, B. F. Mechling's Justa Bud and W. G. Jones' Tacet all going down in a heap at the eight fence. In addition to these mishaps, Robert McConnell's Late Day lost his rider at the fourteenth and L. Algaria's Happy Feet broke down badly after going two fences.

Gary Black's Little Marty, who has never yet finished out of the money in his entire steeplechase career, accounted for his first win of the season last Tuesday when he came from behind, overtaking Zadora in the stretch, to win a two mile brush event. Zadora, though swerving badly at his fences, made the pace and withstood the challenge of Jim Ryan's Wellstepped, but could not hold his advantage at the finish as Little Marty came on strongly, piloted by amateur Bill Jones. Wellstepped was third ahead of Claque, J. G. Lieper, jr.'s Corky, Justa Bud, Late Day and Depart who trailed in order.

## Wednesday, June 29

Indian River Steeplechase, 2 1-2 miles over brush,—1st. Torturer, F. Ambrose Clark, J. McGovern, 136; 2nd., El Dorador, Montpelier Stable, E. Roberts, 138; 3rd., Red Rain, Gwladys Whitney, A Scruton, 151; Also ran: Rioter, Swimalong, lost rider; National Anthem, Ossabaw; Time, 5:06 2-5.

## Thursday, June 30

4 & up Selling Steeplechase, about 2 miles over brush,—1st. The Stag II, R. K. Mellon, J. Duffey 142; 2nd. Spinach, Mrs. Arthur White, E. Roberts, 148; 3rd. Claque, A. Riggs 3rd., S. Walters, 142; Also ran: Clonard, Depart; Lost rider: Late Day; Fell: Zadora, Justa Bud, Tacet; Broke down: Happy Feet; Time, 4:07.

## Friday, July 1

The Magnolia Steeplechase, about 2 miles over brush,—1st. Solarist, F. Ambrose Clark, J. McGovern, 143; 2nd. Melleray Pass, Brandywine Stable, J. Magee, 145; 3rd. Coxswain, Rokeby Stable, E. Roberts, 133; Also ran: Good Chance, Golden Horde, Arapal, Casanova II, Lost rider: The Dook II; Time, 4:03 2-5.

## Tuesday, July 5

4 & up Claiming Steeplechase, 2 miles over brush,—1st. Little Marty, Gary Black, Mr. Jones, 153; 2nd. Zadora, J. R. Kerr, jr., H. Clements, 141; 3rd. Wellstepped, James E. Ryan, P. Byrne, 144; Also ran: Claque, Corky, Justa Bud, Late Day, Depart; Time, 3:58 3-5.

## FORBE'S LITTLE WOMAN

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which Little Woman covered the distance in 3:36, was accomplished over going made deep by three days' rain and the Forbes mare, who had previously bowed to Big March, was well up throughout, taking command after the first mile, and had enough left to hold off the Bosley gelding by a head at the finish. Rufus Finch's

Jolie Knight was third over Mrs. N. Johnson's Persian Prince and M. J. Daly's Rouge Catalan who trailed in order, while S. W. Prussian's So Sweet, making her maiden appearance, fell over the third fence.

With the above two victories added to that gained on June 18 in the Great Barrington Steeplechase, Little Woman, trained by her owner, has been three times first and twice second in six starts at Agawam since early in June, being second to Skim-along on the 10th, second to Big March in the Farmington Valley Plate on the 25th, and having finished out of the money only once.

## Summaries

### June 29th

The Millwood Hunt Plate, about 2 miles over brush,—1st. Little Woman, J. H. C. Forbes, J. Haley, 143; 2nd. Big March, John Bosley, J. Ball, 151; 3rd. Jolie Knight, R. C. Finch, 140; Also ran: Persian Prince, Rouge Catalan; Fell: So Sweet; Time, 3:36.

### July 5th

The Raceland Purse, 2 miles over brush,—1st. Little Woman, J. H. C. Forbes, J. Haley, 148; 2nd. Daffy, C. D. Pierce, R. Hayhurst, 146; 3rd. Big March, John Bosley, J. Ball, 157; Also ran: Syriac, Port Law, Rouge Catalan; Time, 4:08 4-5.

## THE BEAR

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in a tie on points and receive the Reserve award.

Gay Life, Mrs. Whitney's Bon Diable and The Bear were in a tie at the completion of Saturday's events, in the Old Fair Grounds on the Culpeper road. It remained for The Bear to score in the Corinthian and Ladies Hunter, final classes on the 4th of July for the final reckoning.

All in all, the two days were Ladies days, for the third horse in line for the Championship was Miss Betty Couzens' Repulsion. Miss Margaret Cotter on her faithful Rocksie, an eight year old half-bred hunter got brilliant performances out of her prize winning jumper and after jump-offs beat Aubrey Fishback's Collect, with jumps raised to four feet six. An honest hunter, he has an easy way of going, none of the deliberate-hesitating-hock-jumping action of a typical open jumper.

Miss Cotter had contested at length in the Triple Bar but found a better one in Gay Cockade, owned by W. B. Bogert, of Keswick, with Miss Jean Riley, of Charles Town, W. Va., riding. Four times Rocksie and Gay Cockade went clean, with the bars at a spread of 6 feet, 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2. Finally at 8 feet Rocksie flicked a bar. The height of these jumps remained constant at four feet. The crowd of over 2,000 roundly applauded this brilliant competition.

In the Green Hunters, Clifton's Diana received the blue ribbon for Dr. L. M. Allen with Norman Haymaker up. A splendid performance was put in by Clifton's Chatelaine, young daughter of imp. Coq Gaulois with the blue in the working hunters. The ribbon was awarded after 12 clean performances in the class. The same horse scored in the Ladies Hunters and second in the Light Weight, which showed her to be an-

other future winner for the Clifton Stables.

Mrs. John B. Anderson's Nijinsky, who was the Reserve at Upperville, won a good class in the Ladies Hunter, when Mrs. Jacobs Wetherall was up again and got a great performance. Nijinsky was placed over the Champion—The Bear, Dr. Allen's Clifton's Chatelaine and Repulsion. The latter was pinned over The Bear in both his wins.

A new one to the bigger shows, accounting for her first recognized show blue, Golondrina a lovely chestnut mare by Dunlin, was the winner of the Suitable to Become Hunters class. Mrs. James Hamilton, her owner, was up, and rode the three year old to other ribbons. Mrs. Hamilton's daughter, Miss Peggy won the Good Hands Class over E. R. Stettinius III, and her brother Jimmy Hamilton was third. The Hamiltons took the first three places in the Pony Saddle Class, with Jock, Silver Queen and Victory.

Crompton Smith with his Mowgli took a big class on Saturday when he accounted for the Handicap Free for All. Ernest L. Redmon, also of Middleburg, took ribbons in the Thorough-bred and Half-bred Colts with his Our Time.

Mrs. Whitney and Miss Cotter combined to clean sweep the Corinthian competition. Bon Diable turned in the finest performance and was easily the standout winner, with stablemates Spring Hope and The Bear in order in ribbons behind him. Rocksie of Miss Cotter's with a good workman-like ride was fourth.

In the Hunt Teams, U. S. Randle's Bannockburn Farm came to the fore when he took the award from the

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4. Pompey, 15, b., by *Sun Briar—Cleopatra, Ellerslie Stud, Charlottesville, 8 wins .....	\$ 5,900
5. Dunlin, 18, ch., by Fair Play—Donca Roca, Raspberry Plain, Leesburg, 13 wins .....	\$ 5,732
6. Pilate, 10, ch. by Friar Rock—*Herodias, Montana Hall, Boyce, 9 wins .....	\$ 5,700
7. Abbot's Nymph, 15, b., by Abbot's Trace—Flying Nymph, Catesby Farm, Upperville, 3 wins .....	\$ 5,650
8. Strolling Player, 12, ch., by Grand Parade—Commedienne, Audley Farm, Berryville, 9 wins .....	\$ 5,025
9. Time Maker, 13, b., by The Porter—Dream of Allah, Rockridge Farm, Leesburg, 8 wins .....	\$ 4,150
10. Flag Pole, 9, ch., by American Flag—Broomotta, U. S. Remount Depot, Front Royal, 8 wins .....	\$ 3,975
11. Westwick, 19, b., by Ultimus—Madame Curie, Inglesrest Farm, Charlottesville, 6 wins .....	\$ 3,525
12. On Watch, 21, br., by Colin—Rubia Granda, Westover Farms, Charlottesville, 5 wins .....	\$ 3,000
13. Omar Khayyam, 24, b., by Marco—Lisma, Inglesrest Farm, Charlottesville, 5 wins .....	\$ 2,975
14. St. Henry, 19, ch., by The Finn—Lady Sterling, Mountville Farm, Mountville, 5 wins .....	\$ 2,975
15. Ed Crump, (deceased), by Peep O'Day—Evaline, Homeland Farm, Middleburg, 7 wins .....	\$ 2,925
16. Neddie, 12, blk., by Colin—Black Flag, Court Manor Stud, New Market, 4 wins .....	\$ 2,800
17. Sun Beau, 13, b., by *Sun Briar—Beautiful Lady, Court Manor Stud, New Market, 4 wins .....	\$ 2,650
18. Waygood, 18, by Tracery—Ascenseur, U. S. Remount Depot, Front Royal, 4 wins .....	\$ 2,650
19. Petee-Wrack, 13, b., by *Wrack—Marguerite, Ellerslie Stud, Charlottesville, 4 wins .....	\$ 2,550
20. Sun Meadow, 10, b., by *Sun Briar—Red Clover, Homeland Farm, Middleburg, 4 wins .....	\$ 2,450
21. Happy Argo, 15, br., by Argosy—Happy Hours, Blue Ridge Stud, Upperville, 4 wins .....	\$ 2,375
22. Runantell, 19, br., by Broomstick—Zolla, Grafton Farms, Upperville, 5 wins .....	\$ 2,300
23. Chilhowee, 17, b., by Ballot—Bourbon Lass, U. S. Remount Depot, Front Royal, 4 wins .....	\$ 2,250
24. Whiskaway, 19, ch., by Whisk Broom II—Inaugural, The Meadow, Doswell, 5 wins .....	\$ 2,175
25. Genie, (deceased), by Man O'War—Fairy Wand, Court Manor Stud, New Market, 3 wins .....	\$ 1,840
26. Traumer, (deceased), by Dark Ronald—Gaormina, Court Manor, Stud, New Market, 3 wins .....	\$ 1,800
28. Dark Hero, 10, br., by Herodot—Sunwina, Archwood Manor Stud, The Plains, 3 wins .....	\$ 1,725
29. By Pass II, 10, br., Phalaris—Communicative, Sundridge Farm, Upperville, 3 wins .....	\$ 1,700
27. Dress Parade, 15, b., by Man O'War—Thrasher, Ravensworth Farm, 3 wins .....	\$ 1,740
30. *Bright Knight, 17, b., by Gay Crusader—Sunny Jane, Audley Farm, Berryville, 2 wins .....	\$ 1,525
31. Rockminister, 19, ch., by Friar Rock—Mallard, Manley W. Carter, Orange, 2 wins .....	\$ 1,400
32. Spanish Prince II, (deceased), by Ugly—Galazora, Audley Farm, Berryville, 2 wins .....	\$ 1,300
33. Caid, 18, br., by *Teddy—Cingh, Canterbury Farms, Warrenton, 4 wins .....	\$1,250
34. Prince of Wales, 15, b., by High Time—Sand Pocket, Benton Farm, Middleburg, 2 wins .....	\$ 975
35. Rosolio, 12, ch., by Massine—Roselys, Blue Ridge Stud, Upperville, 2 wins .....	\$ 975
36. Lucullite, (deceased), by Trap Rock—Lucky Lass, Morven Stud, Leesburg, 2 wins .....	\$ 775
37. Brandon Mint, 9, b., by Stimulus—Largo, Brandon Stud, Brandon, 1 win .....	\$ 700
38. Espino, 15, br., by *Negofol—Rose Leaves, Burrland Farm, Middleburg, 1 win .....	\$ 700
39. Messenger, 18, ch., by Fair Play—Mission, Walnut Hall, Farms, Boyce, 1 win .....	\$ 675
40. Malmast, 20, ch., by Superman—Mast Head, 2 wins .....	\$ 650
41. Judge Hay, 12, b., by Peter Pan—Elizabeth M, Twin Oaks Farm, Warrenton, 2 wins .....	\$ 600
42. Claptrap, 15, b., by Fair Play—*Catalpa, Shawnee Manor, Winchester, 1 win .....	\$ 350
43. Sun Charmer, 19, b., by Sun Star—Lady Villein, Annefield Farm, Berryville, 1 win .....	\$ 300
44. Vander Pool, 10, br., by Campfire—Bramble Rose, U. S. Remount Depot, Front Royal, 1 win .....	\$ 300

TOTAL.....\$145,987

## THE BEAR

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Llangollen three-some on performance. Randle's winning team had Miss Cotter's Rocksie in it, with the regular Randle team placing third. Mr. Randle's Sport Marvel went well and took a big open class on the first day.

With the crowd getting restless, the Championship ribands were pinned, and the races were on. Outside of the first event, the same horses that ran and won on Saturday repeated in order on Monday, yet all races were good contests. Lady Gurzil owned by D. Chamberlain took two flat races in the meet, as did Mabel Beyond from the same stable. Mrs. G. C. Everhart's Gold Sweeper, an eight year old jumper took the two runnings of the 2 1/2 mile steeplechase. Gold Sweeper has run at Mid-

deburg here, and learned his first lessons in the hands of Arthur White, but failed to show he could stay in the big hunt-meet circuit. "Silas", known to many in the hunt-country, a colored rider, said to be over seventy was riding again this year. Oldtimers recall his riding feats at Culpeper for the past quarter of a century, but he has yet to break his "haide".

The summary:

Yearling Draft Class—First, Punch, Margaret L. Dyer; second, Nena May, W. M. Inskeep; third, Smoky, Arthur D. Scott.

Heavy Draft—Two-year-old, First, Patsy, B. H. Wayland; second, Judy, J. M. Dyer; third, John Cobb Landon, Miss Julia Shearer; fourth, Nick L. M. Farmer.

Heavy Draft Horses—Any age. First, Lady, L. M. Farmer; second, Joan, Henry Straus; third, Dick, Arthur D. Scott; fourth, Stegal, W. M. Inskeep.

Suckling Colts and Mares—Thoroughbred and half-bred. First, Gertrude V. and foal, Miss Julia Shearer; second, Dido and foal, Henry Straus; third, Handy and foal, C. R. Thornhill; fourth, entry, R. H. Covington.

Thoroughbred and Half-bred Yearling Colts—First, Our Time, E. L. Redmond; second, entry, U. S. Randle; third, Winkle, Mrs. John B. Anderson; fourth, Royal Dan II., Dr. E. H. Marsteller.

Pony Class—First, Jock, Peggy Hamilton; second, Silver Queen, Jimmy Hamilton; third, Victory, Barry Hamilton; fourth, Dixie, Kenneth Lee Brown.

THREE-YEAR-OLD Hunters: Over Jumps—First, Gay Life, Mrs. D. N. Lee; second, Golondrina, Mrs. Peggy Keith Hamilton; third, Royal 2d; fourth, Hellenist, Mrs. D. N. Lee.

WORKING HUNTERS: Outside course—First, Clifton's Chatelaine, Dr. L. M. Allen; second, Spring Hope Mrs. John Hay Whitney; third, Missing Caddy, Mrs. John Hay Whitney; fourth, Sport Marvel, U. S. Randle.

LOCAL JUMPING CLASS—First, Buck Hamilton, Miss Julia Shearer; second, Metalurgist, Miss Julia Shearer; third, Waif, Miss Julia Shearer; fourth, Office Girl, John Bickers, agent.

THREE-GAITED SADDLE HORSES—First, Miss Gladies, Rives Brothers; second, Jack Lightning, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon G. Owen; third, Silver King, H. L. Kuykendall; fourth, Chinquepin, Rives Brothers.

Free for all Handicap—First, Mowgli, Mrs. Crompton Smith; second, Waif, Miss Julia Shearer; third, No Play, E. L. Redmon; fourth, Randle's Pride, U. S. Randle.

Lightweight Hunters—First, The Bear, Mrs. John Hay Whitney; second, Clifton's Chatelaine, Dr. L. M. Allen; third, Repulsion, Miss Betty Couzens; fourth, Airy Spirit, Mrs. John Hay Whitney.

Good Hands Class—First, Peggy Hamilton; second, E. R. Stettinius, 3d; third, Jimmy Hamilton.

Suitable to Become Hunters—First, Golondrina, Mrs. Peggy Keith Hamilton; second, Gay Life, Mrs. D. N. Lee; third, No Play, E. L. Redmon; fourth, Royalty 2d.

Touch-And-Out—First, Sport Marvel, U. S. Randle; second, Black Marquis, Mrs. Newton T. Mayo; third, Randle's Hope, U. S. Randle; fourth, Santa Claus, Alex Calvert.

Middle and Heavyweight Hunters—First, Bon Diable, Mrs. John Hay Whitney; second, Nijinsky, Mrs. John B. Anderson; third, Sport Marvel, U. S. Randle; fourth Tor, Peach Brothers.

## RACES

FIRST RACE—Kirk On, Maccorone, Infinitude.

SECOND RACE—Mable Beyond, Fred Warning, Plain Ace.

THIRD RACE—Lady Gurzil, Chief Rock, Tennis.

STEEPLECHASE—Gold Sweeper, Little Joe, Tom Adams.

Hunters Under Saddle Any Age—First, Repulsion, Miss Betty Couzens; second, The Bear, Mrs. John Hay Whitney; third, Golondrina, Mrs. Peggy Keith Hamilton; fourth, Mickel, Mrs. John Hay Whitney.

Green Hunters—First, Clifton's Diana, Dr. L. M. Allen; second, Hellenist, Mrs. D. N. Lee; third, Golondrina, Mrs. Peggy Keith Hamilton; fourth, Gay Life, Mrs. D. N. Lee.

Triple Bar Jump—First, Gay Cockade, W. B. Bogert; second, Rocksie, Miss Margaret Cotter; third, Rocking Moon, U. S. Randle.

Hunter Hacks—First, Repulsion, Miss Betty Couzens; second, The Bear, Mrs. John Hay Whitney; third, Golondrina, Mrs. Peggy Keith Hamilton; fourth, Gay Life, Mrs. D. N. Lee.

Hunters—4-year-olds and under: First, Gay Life, Mrs. D. N. Lee; second, Hellenist, Mrs. D. N. Lee; third, No Play, E. L. Redmon; fourth, Royalty II, E. L. Redmon.

Ladies' Three-Gaited Saddle Class—First, Silver King, H. L. Kendall; second, Jack Lightning, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon G. Owen; third, Maureen, Pinebrook Farm.

Ladies' Hunters—First, Nijinsky, Mrs. John Anderson; second, Clifton's Chatelaine, Dr. L. M. Allen; third, The Bear, Mrs. John Hay Whitney; fourth, Spring Hope, Mrs. John Hay Whitney.

Exhibition by War Chief, Dave Nimmo up.

Thoroughbred Two-Year-Olds—First, Scotchwood, E. L. Redmon; second, Custom Sweep, North Fletcher; third, Randle's Lad, U. S. Randle; fourth, Hunger Hill, Miss Julia Shearer.

Half-Bred Two-Year-Olds—First, His Time, E. L. Redmon; second, Randle's Princess; third, Randle's Queen, U. S. Randle; fourth, Bay Boy, Chilton W. Yowell.

Hunters and Jumpers, Open to All—First, Rocksie, Miss Margaret Cotter; second, Collect, Aubrey Fishback; third, Rocking Moon, U. S. Randle; fourth, Gay Cockade, W. B. Bogert.

Corinthian Class—First, Bon Diable, Mrs. John Hay Whitney; second, Spring Hope, Mrs. John Hay Whitney; third, The Bear, Mrs. John Hay Whitney; fourth, Rocksie, Miss Margaret Cotter.

Hunt Teams—First, U. S. Randle; second, entry, U. S. Randle; third entry Mrs. John Hay Whitney.

Hunter Champion—The Bear, Mrs. John Hay Whitney, reserve champion, Gay Life, Mrs. D. N. Lee. First Race—Timber Net, Kirk On, Alto.

Second Race—Lady Gurzil, Tennis, Chief Rock.

Third Race—Mabel Beyond, Morgirl, Belino.

Steeplechase—Gold Sweeper Little Joe, Tom Adams.

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By Carol White

Now is the time to think of jelly making. Of course it is much cheaper to buy it and is probably much better but I kinda like the idea of home-made jelly in the summer time. It makes me feel holier-than-thou and uplifted. I was crushed the other day when I told a friend of mine that I was going home to make mint jelly (I really did have a dim idea that I was) and she sort of sneered and said, "it sounds dreadful." Well it took the wind out of my sails and I did not make the jelly and all the mint the children had gathered for me was wasted and I am sorry now that I didn't. So DON'T fall back on the shops for your winter supply of jams, jellies and pickles even if they are supposed to be more economical, because it's fun to see rows of things on your storeroom shelves that have been made in your own kitchen. It's a lot of satisfaction. Specially if you happen to live in the country and can get so many things to "put up" without buying the ingredients.

If I do not make another thing, I always put up two things every summer. You can't buy them in the shops and they are delicious. I never can find real watermelon pickle. The kind you buy is always that horrible sweetish, a sort of preserve kind and I like the real old-fashioned pickle kind. Then a peach conserve I make that is the top and can't be bought. I am putting recipes for both of these things below.

## Watermelon Pickle

2 pounds watermelon rind (just the white part and that cut into inch squares.)

2 pounds sugar  
1 pint vinegar  
1 pint water  
1 lemon sliced thin  
1 tablespoon cinnamon  
1 teaspoon cloves  
1 teaspoon allspice

Soak the rind over night in salt water (¼ cup salt to 1 quart water.) Drain off the brine. Cook the rind in clear water till it is tender.

Make a hot pickling solution of the other ingredients, add the drained rind and boil it rapidly until it becomes clear. Seal in clean, hot jars. The spices may be tied in a cheese-cloth bag and removed before the rind is bottled if preferred.

## Chilton Peach Jam

Put the rind of one bitter orange and one lemon through the meat grinder. Add to them a little water and cook for twenty minutes.

Cut up twenty peaches. Add the orange and lemon rind and ¾ of a

pound of sugar to each pound of fruit.

Break the peach stones, and put the fragments into a bag to cook with the jam. Cook the kernels from the pit with the jam. Cook until thick and sticky. Remove the bag containing the pits before putting the jam in the sterilized jars.

This jam is the best I have ever eaten. Make enough to last all winter. Make a lot of it, I am sure you will use it all up.

## BRYSON'S WHITE COCKADE DEPARTS FOR SARATOGA

White Cockade, the good five year old son of Diavolo, owned by the well known Maryland turf-owner, E. K. Bryson, after spending several months under the watchful eye of Louis Leith, in Middleburg, left yesterday for Pimlico. There Mr. Bryson's good horse will be prepped for Saratoga efforts in August.

Calumet Dick by Gallant Fox—\*Martha Snow, said to have won more money for his Baltimorean owner than any horse he has ever owned, is still in Middleburg. A convalescent since the Santa Anita Handicap, Calumet Dick's knee is showing improvement, but it is doubtful whether he will see action again before next fall.

## RANDLE STRING INCREASED BY TWO NEW PROSPECTS

U. S. Randle, who's Bannockburn Stables, near Vienna, boast of many fine show horses, added two splendid prospects to his string this past week. A fine son of Teddy, a four year old, a great conformation type, was sold by Burrland Farm to Mr. Randle.

Mr. Randle also purchased an Espino filly yearling at the same time. These two new acquisitions will be shown in hand throughout the remainder of this season, and will be taken to the Garden in November.

## ENTRIES CLOSE JULY 9TH FOR LENY MANOR SHOW

The 3rd Annual Leny Manor Horse Show Committee has announced that entries will close with Miss Jane Wilbur, Secretary, Warrenton, tomorrow, July 9. Twenty classes are scheduled, the first getting under way at 9:30 on July 16, all riders, officials and judges will be under 21 years.

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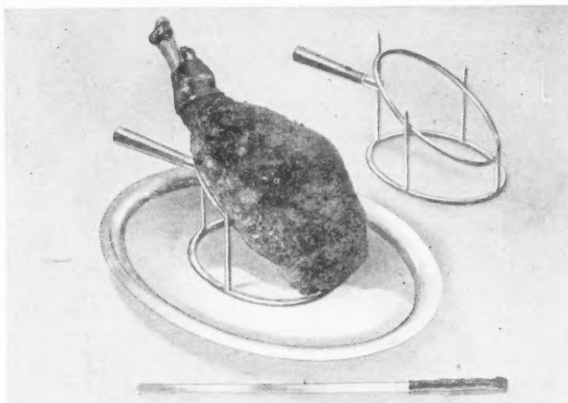
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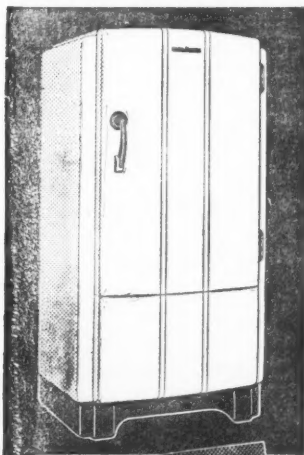
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## HEAR YE

Swing it ladies! the Middleburg dances, to the strains of Sidney from Washington will get under way this Saturday. The first of two dances, the party will be held at The Shelter of Mrs. Amory Perkins starting at 10:30 p. m. and lasting until the wee hours. A platform on the tennis court, with tables at one end, and a real, live bar and better still, plenty of the wherewithall, there should be no stopping this first Middleburg Dance. A West fiftysecond street atmosphere will be achieved with lanterns, small, intimate tables, music that really rhythms and a color scheme of heavenly blue and boudoir pink. Under the treasurership of John Dudley, subscriptions for the series of two dances are being cordially invited at \$5.00 per person. The second dance is to be held on Saturday, July 23rd. The bar should prove irresistible to any number for it is to be equipped with the ingredients for the stoutest heart and the weakest stomach, all drinks to be "on the house". A number of dinner parties beforehand are to start the ball a'rolling and by 10:30 p. m. it's LOOK OUT for the Party's On! Single tickets are \$3.00 for each dance, so the clever ones will save by subscribing for both June 9th and June 23rd at one breath, and catch their other breath on the morning of June 24th.

Raspberry Plain threw open its doors to youth and merriment last Saturday night when genial host William H. "Shorty" Lipscomb gave a dance in his attractive log cabin for debutante Margaret Byrd, daughter of Winchester's Tom Byrd and niece of the man who brought the penguins back from the South Pole. Mr. Sydney's Mayflower orchestra, a great favorite with the swing-minded, dished out the tempo and juleps went round many times followed by a delicious supper while a bright moon blessed the entire evening. Among the many dancing till the small hours were Dick and Margaret Dole of Millwood, the Doughertys all, (Mary, Gertrude, Graham and Fraser), George Greenhalgh, Jr., Middleburgers Catherine Hulbert, Bettina Belmont, Mary Catherine Fred, Mildred McConnell, Peggy Herron, Jamie McCormick, C. E. Perkins, Mack Tabb and from nearby, Jack Butler and his cousin Martha Knox, Marie Kay Baird and Alvin Baird, Janet Harrison and Frank Littleton; Norfolkites in Caroline Grandy, C. Wiley Grandy, Jr., Le Cron Thompson and Lamar Wilkinson; others were Bobby and Shirley Turner, Dulany Randolph, Powell Harrison, Billy Clagett, King Stone, and many many more.

Christopher Rogers, who spends his summers with his father Captain C. R. P. Rogers in their luxurious bachelordom at Broad Run, was host to a number of the younger set at a delicious and attractively served buffet luncheon last Sunday. Those enjoying the coolth of the shady veranda and many good things provided were Sarah Warren, "Feets" Kennedy, Dorothy White, Elizabeth Wilbur, Joan Emory, Jack Butler, Dandridge Kennedy, David Warren, Bobby Dunner, Harcourt Lees, Lamar Wilkinson and others.

Wedding bells for Middleburg! Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gartrell have announced the engagement of their daughter, Winnie Gray, to Mr. Leonard Lawrence Lightcap of Hazel Green, Wisconsin and Washington, D. C. The Marriage will take place in the Methodist Church here early in August.

Many well known Committee members of the Culpeper Horse Show and Racing Association combined to give one of the best two days, through the 4th, exhibitions in years. Among those attending and Committee-ing were W. W. Osborne, Morris Clark, R. M. Menefee, North Fletcher, M. R. Waugh, Lewis L. Strauss, Oliver Durant, Arthur Miller, Joseph B. Fray, G. Elliott Doyle, P. M. Browning, Arthur D. Scott, W. A. Spilman, Miss Julia Shearer, Manley W. Carter, Chilton W. Yowell, Clyde B. Johnson, Charles B. Payne, U. S. Randle and Percy Drury.

Seen and sometimes heard, at Culpeper included the Crompton Smiths, Wallace Brown and Cecil Dickerson, both doing well with their Sound Service; R. E. Neil of Marshall, Carl Furr, "Jr.", of Mountville, and Eddie Barker, all judging the horse-racing; Mrs. Barker, too, Joe Noland, John Rittcor with a lovely lady; Herman Piggott, Jimmy McCormick and Peggy Heron; Bunny Winnill who had just won "a 20c pool on the first race"; the Peaches, Dick and Kelly; Mrs. D. N. Lee, Tony Rives of Edgewood pony fame; the James Andrews not of Amissville, but of Barboursville; Jane Fowler Bassett who had week-ended with the Randy Duffeys but stayed at the Robert Winnills' Clovelly; Dicky Wallach, Louis and Randy Duffey; Bobby Roby, Margaret Cotter, Betty Couzens, the eternal threesome of Washington; W. B. Bogert of Keswick with his attractive jockey Jean Riley; the Hugh Garths up from Charlottesville way; the H. H. Butz up from Keswick; and others.

Among those present when the Daniel Sands entertained last Thursday evening, following the Middleburg Hunter and Hound Show formative meeting were Mrs. Silvie Hazard, acting secretary (she by the way left the next day with daughter Nattie for a 4th of July Long Island), the James Skinners, Mrs. Henry Fairfax, the Harry Frosts, Col. and Mrs. William Clifford, the William Hulberts, the Holland Potters, the Lee MacDonalds, Ollie Iselin, the Lud Pattons, the Crompton Smiths, Mrs. Amory Perkins, Mrs. Arthur White and Bettina Belmont. The guests of the occasion foraged on the porch from a delicious buffet table.

Mrs. Robert C. Winnill and Mrs. Raymond McGrath were the spirits who enlivened North Wales last Saturday night, with dinner dancing and Chauncey Brown's Orchestra. Some sixty were there. The gay 4th of July week-end carried on with tennis on Sunday and Monday for the many tuning up for the tournament this week. The Clark T. Baldwins' party on Independence Day night was a huge success. The sky-rockets went off over the mountain and guests, (some sixty) home before mid-night. . . . Dorothy Neyhart birthday-ed it last Friday, as a pre-4th occasion. . . . Alex Hagner flew down from Nantucket, alone, and wound the several days' ado with a supper occasion on his hanging-over hill Broadview near Warrenton, the past Tuesday, with the Clark T. Baldwins, the Ben Cains, Dicky Wallach and others on tap.

The James Skinners undertook more of the diplomatic relations in Washington last Sunday, and had the Marquis Benedeto Cepo Mezza, Sec. y. of the Italian Embassy among others for luncheon. Mrs. P. B. Benton, of "long-guy-land" is frequenting the community with the Skinners now, to

be here for a week or more, and the dancing Saturday night.

Mrs. Amory Perkins had Washingtonians, among others for luncheon Sunday last.

The whole land is entertaining with pre-dancing dinners tomorrow. Mildred McConnell will have that "neat and keen and soon" crowd supping with her. Bettina Belmont and mother, Mrs. Arthur White are giving their Chilton best for Washingtonians and Warrentonians coming out and over. The Raymond Tartieres are starting anew in Boxwood, having forsaken Huntlands, and will dine

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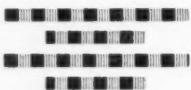
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## In The Country

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some dozen tomorrow too. The Jack Skinners are adding to the festivity, with dinner at eight on the ninth.

**Gone Away!** The Taylor Hardins, to Signory Candada, near Montreal, he to judge a four day horse-show by himself, and then the two to do Dominion country. Chris Greer is to join them later. . . . The George Tod (Whitehall) Sloanes are going up to Canada shortly, we hear. . . . The Thomas B. Davis, who have not been down for some time, and she who is the chief spirit of the Middleburg Hunter and Hound Show, on Oct. 29, won't be down for some time. They are soon to be in Ireland, for the Dublin Show and all. . . . Mrs. Adelaide Williams Massey sends news that touring in France is the pleasantest sort. Mrs. John (Helen) Hinckley is up in New York state, Herkimer, with her mother, Mrs. T. D. Robinson, and is said to be leaving for Narragansett to find the William Doellers any minute. The Harry Pools are there too.

Sarah Warren, daughter of the D. M. Warrens, who frequent Warrenton and Baltimore both, is to get a real break when loosed at the Bachelor's Cotillion in the Maryland city next fall, for her debut.

Well, Winsor was all lighted up, with lanterns and all burning in the trees and arbor Monday night. The Bobby Youngs and the Charley Cushman had combined and had Bosie and his boys play sweet-swing stuff on the porch, and dinner and dancing and a dipper into a stone crock was the order of the evening. The Beverly Masons, Jr., of Washington were out, as were: Dr. Cary Langhorne, Florence Llewellyn, Rev. Riley, Frances Morison, Dr. Randolph, Benny Barton who is here visiting now and then at Welborne, of Boston and Chicago; the Turner Wiltshires, Mrs. Wiltshire's sister, the Holland Potters, the Duval Tylers, Henry Frost and others.

Mrs. George Greenhalgh and Mrs. Jacobs Wetherall are taking off into the north country next week for the show at Rumsen, N. J. on the 16th. It is good to hear of Virginia stables taking a whirl at those Yankee outfits.

The E. Kenneth Jenkins have been away, up stopping with the Earle Potters for part of last week-end, and then around. Back on the 5th, they are going north with little Jerry 'ere the week is out, to Mass.

In a private ceremony, attended only by their immediate families and few close friends, Thomas U. Dudley, Jr., son of the Thoms. Dudleys of "Exning", Middleburg, and Miss Helen Quinby were married last Wednesday at the home of the bride's mother Mrs. Courtland Quinby at West Grove, Pa., at four o'clock. The bride's only attendant, Miss Helen Barrett of Wilmington, was maid of honor while Mr. Dudley had his brother John Dudley of Middleburg as his best man. The couple will visit Middleburg after a wedding trip through the Great Smoky Mountains of Tennessee.

Mrs. Ayres Starr, who has been visiting her mother Mrs. Charles G. Ayres in New York for the past month, since drawing the shades on her Middleburg house for the summer, is heading for Hollywood and a look-see at the movie colony tomorrow. She will visit her friend Mrs. Florence Bradley in Beverly Hills.

Over at the Polo at Phipps Field Sunday were throngs lining the boards, including the Robert McConnells, James McCormick and his Mother Mrs. McCormick, the Beverly Masons, Shorty Lipscomb, the Gould Shaws and Mrs. Hubert Phipps. J. S. Phipps and William C. Langley came over the field in their respective planes and landed on their respective fields, the former to attend the polo.

We hear from Thomas M. Baker, who has rented the Hunt Club stables in Derby New York, he used to manage the "Eclipse Stables", that things are booming for him. A well known dealer, Baker sold Whoopee and Royal York, those two good jumpers to Morris Clark, and more recently he turned Boby E. loose in Virginia, with Howard Haffner, of the University, Va., his new owner.

When the love-bug bites, it very often sweeps through the whole family. Look out Josephine! Following Viola's marriage to Randy Duffey, there have been rumors, but the Robert C. Winnills awaited the coming of Independence Day to bring paradoxical pith to their latest announcement. The engagement of Virginia to Robert H. Radsch, of Appleton, Wis., went on the wires last Sunday. It has been stressed that the romance didn't start while riding in the hunting field. The bride-elect, an "accomplished horse-woman", graduate of Foxcroft, a student at Vassar, a member of Warrenton, Piedmont, and Middleburg Hunts, has set an October date for the Clovelly wedding. Mr. Radsch has been busy with curriculum activities. A Yale man, a student at the Universities of Munich and Freiburg in Germany, a General Motors lawyer, he is known here, visiting Warrenton frequently during the past year.

We hear that Ian Montgomery of J. Green Carter has sold the Dr. George H. Davis property on highway 211, of 7 1-2 acres, near Warrenton, to George A. Wood and his son, G. M. Wood.

Men's Doubles and Ladies Doubles tournament play is on the calendar for Friday, Saturday and Sunday at north Wales. Five teams are entered in the Ladies play, in: Miss Dorothy Neyhart and Mrs. R. C. Winmill; Mrs. Raymond McGarth and Miss Lucie Duer (she coming from Vermont); Mrs. Gould Shaw and Mrs. Raymond Tartiere; Mrs. Randolph Duffey and Miss Sally Appleton; and Mrs. Clark T. Baldwin and Mrs. Ben Cain.

The teams making up the 11 Mens Doubles are: Baldy Spillman and Max Dunlop, of Washington; Drs. Jack and Jim Sinclair; Fred Haserick and Harrison Colket; Henri de Heller and James Keith; Melville Bearness and James Hamilton; Ruth Spillman and John Buchanan; R. McGrath and Ollie Iselin; Ben Cain and George Cutting; Frances Greene and entry; William Emory Sr., and Jr.; Ken Jenkins and entry.

### Casualty List

Dorothy White nursing a splint-ridden broken finger, a relic of the accident she and her mother Mrs. Stewart White encountered a week or so ago near Half Way while driving from their home in Cincinnati to visit the Kennedys in Warrenton.

Col. John F. Wall, possibly the most celebrated student on bloodlines of the thoroughbred in the country to-day, is having to heed the doctors, and is undergoing treatment in the Walter Reed Hospital in Washington.

He writes that he will be out shortly, and plans to start immediately with his Thoroughbred Bloodlines, Inc.

John Walker is mending slowly, according to many of his friends who have been in to see him in Winchester. He will not play polo again this season.

Dick Floyd was down in the hunt-country from Cincinnati this last week, carrying his arm in a sling, with a broken collar-bone, suffered in an Ohio polo spill.

## NEW DIRECTORS ELECTED TO WARRENTON SHOW

With the retiring officers and directors of the Warrenton Pony Show of 1938 doing more than a successful job in balancing the budget, elections were held last Thursday. Hope Wallach was chosen to head the 1939 Committee as President, Jane Baldwin, with Peggy Hamilton are the Vice Presidents, Clark Baldwin is Secretary-Treasurer and Penelope Shaw is Assis. Secy., with Jimmie Murphy, Manager.

Those elected to the board of Directors are: Joan Emory, Sally Spillman, Barney Brittle, Emily Neilson, Elizabeth Wilbur, Harcourt Lees, Scottie Thomson, John Cutting, Jane Calvert, Jean Rowland, Laurie Barntenstein, Dick Kirkpatrick, Martin and Josiah Macy and Dandridge Kennedy.

It was reported that all indebted-

ness is paid up, and that the 'Show has over \$100, as a bank balance.

## FAUQUIER LOUDOUN LOSES TO WESTSHORE POLO CLUB

The Westshore Polo Club of Harrisburg, Pa., came down here for the week-end; played the Fauquier-Loudoun four on Saturday and Sunday and won both games, 8-7 and 8-5. Saturday's tilt, on Marshall Field setting sail with a three goal handicap. Capt. Kirkpatrick at three for the locals played well scoring three times. Phil Triplett at one tallied twice as did Denny Skinker at back. Mr. Woodward played two.

The Fauquier-Loudoun line-up of Charley Cushman, Hubert Phipps, Capt. Kirkpatrick, and Bill Hulbert on Sunday were only able to score five goals. The handicap was too much. The visitor's line-up was Dr. Kempt, Forest, Glen Smith, Frownfelter, Dr. Geddes Crump referee both games. The Sunday one was played on Phipps Field.

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## GAY COCKADE AND JEAN RILEY



—Hayes.

W. B. Bogert's Gay Cockade was the winner of the Triple-Bar event at the Culpeper Horse Show July 4th, after soaring five times over the bars finally widened to a span of eight feet. Miss Jean Riley, of Charles Town, W. Va., rode Mr. Bogert's entry, whose stables are at Keswick, Va. Miss Margaret Cotter of Washington, on her good hunter Rocksie, lost the award by a "hind-tick" after four clean performances.

## IMP. TEDDY SON RETIRES PLATE



—Hayes.

Mrs. John Hay Whitney's The Bear, winner of four Championships in 1937 is by Imp. Teddy—Flying Whisk. The fine chestnut, under able rides of Mrs. James Hamilton of Warrenton and Dick Kirby of Llangollen, accounted for 15 points and was adjudged the winner of the tri-color in the 35th Annual Culpeper Horse Show. The Bear's 1937 triumph coupled with his stable-mate's, Two Leggins' victory (now on the Pacific Coast with his owner Mrs. Whitney), retired the coveted Culpeper Challenge Plate. The last of the famous Imp. Teddy progeny will go to Saratoga Sales for Kentmere date of August 15. Eight sons and daughters of Kenneth Gilpin's great sire are listed in the consignment.



